

- REFUGE - PLANTATION -

WOODBINE VICINITY

- CAMDEN · COUNTY · GEORGIA -

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PHOTOGRAPHS

WRITTEN HISTORIC AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

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Historic American Buildings Survey  
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REFUGE PLANTATION  
Camden County Georgia  
On North side of Satilla River

Owner:

Date of Erection: Approximately 1775.

Present Condition: Fair. Needs repair.

Number of Stories: One and attic.

Materials of Construction: Foundation brick piers. Wood floors.  
Frame exterior walls. Wood shingle roof.

Other Existing Records: Photographs owned by Bayard C. Heyward of  
"Lemont" Habersham County, Georgia; duplicates owned by Edith D.  
Johnston, films of all owned by Thonneson's Photo Finishing Shop,  
345 Bull St., Savannah.

Additional Data: George McIntosh received the property it is thought,  
as a McIntosh was given a Crown Grant of 5,000 acres in 1765. This  
was the plantation home of Col. John Houston McIntosh Clinch, grand-  
son of John Houston McIntosh. Col. Clinch was the Uncle of Bayard  
C. Heyward. The above information furnished by Miss Edith Johnston,  
Savannah, Georgia.

"Refuge Plantation on Satilla River in Camden County  
was granted to George McIntosh when Georgia was a Province of England"  
according to Georgia's Landmarks, Memorials and Legends, by Knight, page  
616.

Gable roof with two dormers. Porch with chamfered wood  
columns carry down to foundations on ground across front and independent  
of the raised porch behind. Double entrance steps to porch. Kitchen  
connected by covered passage.

Wood fence with slanting pickets. Old brick fire place  
with hanging rod and iron cooking utensils.

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